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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**In re application of:**

Diggle

**Group Art Unit:** 3632**Application No.** 10/643,177**Examiner:** Sterling**Filed:** August 18, 2003**Title:** "Serving Terminal Illuminator"

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**37 C.F.R. § 1.143 Request for Reconsideration  
of Requirement for Election of Species**

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**Commissioner:**

This paper is filed in response to an office action mailed August 1, 2007. The United States Patent and Trademark Office ("Office") imposed an election requirement. The Assignee hereby requests reconsideration and withdrawal of this election requirement.

Attorney Docket: 030114  
U.S. Application No. 10/643,177 Examiner Sterling Art Unit 3632  
Response to Restriction Requirement

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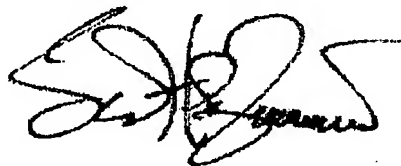
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The Office alleges that this patent application contains nine (9) groups of patentably distinct species. As 37 C.F.R. § 1.143 requires, the Assignee provisionally elects Species IX (identified as FIG. 11). The claims identifying this group are 7-9, 14, and 16-18.

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If the Office has any questions, the Office is invited to contact the undersigned at (919) 469-2629 or [scott@scottzimmerman.com](mailto:scott@scottzimmerman.com).

Respectfully submitted,



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